

Appln. No.: 09/825,518
Amendment dated September 7, 2004
Reply to Office Action mailed August 24, 2004

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

The Advisory Action mailed August 24, 2004, has been carefully reviewed and these remarks are responsive thereto. Reconsideration and allowance of this application are respectfully requested.

Claims 1-7 and 12-18 have been cancelled. Claims 8-11 were allowed in the Advisory Action.

CONCLUSION

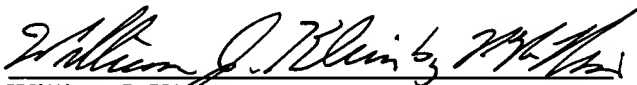
Because all of the pending claims of this application have been allowed, applicant respectfully submits that this application is in condition for allowance, and respectfully requests issuance of a notice of allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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